Ruth M. Jones, SPHR

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Objective

To continue a progressive career in Human Resource Management.

Experience

Dana F. Cole & Company, LLP, *Lincoln, NE*October 1998 – Present

Human Resource Director

- Develop initial human resource department, policies, procedures and practices.
- Advise supervisors and clients on job performance, disciplinary action and terminations.
- Make recommendations about firm and employee development, including professional education
- Recommend and implement human resource database.
- Answer employment law questions for partners and clients.
- Review and write employee handbooks, policies and job descriptions for firm and clients.
- Initiate and conduct recruitment, hiring, orientation and training of employees.

Human Resource Center, Inc., Phoenix, AZ

November 1996 – February 1998

Human Resource Staff Consultant

- Act as "outsourced" Human Resource Department for companies.
- Advise clients on hiring, job performance, disciplinary action and terminations.
- Develop and present briefings and training programs.
- Conduct human resource department and wage and hour audits.
- Review, write and make recommendations for employee handbooks, policies and job description

The Cornhusker, Lincoln, NE

August 1994 - October 1996

Human Resources Staff Coordinator

- Process and screen applications, recruit and interview applicants.
- Conduct New Hire Orientation.
- Updating and maintaining employee database.
- Provide support to managers in hiring, discipline and performance issues.
- Develop and instruct employee group "Cornhusker Action Team".
- Develop monthly internal newsletter "Kernels of the Corn".

Valentino's, Lincoln, NE

July 1989 - May 1995

Trainer/Bookkeeper/Supervisor/Server

• Supervise a staff of 35, including hiring, training, monitoring performance, disciplining empapraising job results and terminating employees.

- Developed training materials for store. Assisted with training materials for corporation.
- Responsible for payroll and daily accounting.

Education

University of Nebraska – Lincoln

• Bachelors of Arts, Psychology

1989 - 1993

• Masters courses in Human Resource Management

1993 - 1995

University of Pittsburgh

• Semester at Sea

Spring Semester 1992

Associations

Serve as Director for the SHRM Nebraska State Council.